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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application
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See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

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First Named Inventor	Joshua I. Pine
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Examiner Name	Henn, Timothy J.
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- a. ☒ Previously submitted
- i. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on August 10, 2005
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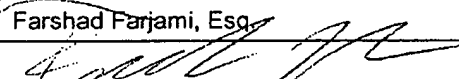
- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months. Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) required)
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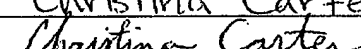
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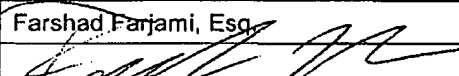
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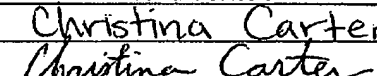
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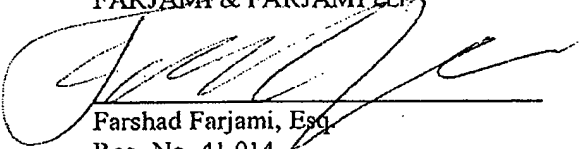
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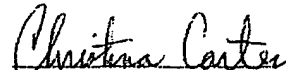
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This Amendment and Response is in response to the *Advisory* Office Action, dated August 25, 2005, in the above-referenced patent application. Please enter and consider the Amendment and Response, dated August 10, 2005, as part of the Request for Continued Examination, a copy of which is enclosed for your convenience

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